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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Aaron ABBOTT, et al.

ART UNIT: 2142

SERIAL NO.: 09/220,724

EXAMINER: Beatriz PRIETO

FILING DATE: December 24, 1998

FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HIERARCHICAL SOFTWARE  
DISTRIBUTION PACKAGES

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

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month extension of time be granted to September 29, 2003 for:

- filing a response to the Official Action dated: May 29, 2003.
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
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The required fee of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 50-1442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**FEE TRANSMITTAL  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (1 month)  
AMENDMENT**

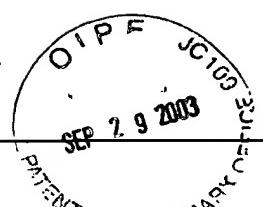
Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary extension of time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a request is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)									
3. ADDITIONAL FEES									
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1002	330	2002	165	Design filing fee		1252	410		
1003	520	2003	260	Plant filing fee		1253	930		
1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee		1254	1450		
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee		1255	1970		
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES				\$0.00		1402	320		
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1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		1801	750		
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